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## STIRS ALL ENGLAND GEN. LARA IS ROUTED CLERKS LOSE JOBS

Rouses Some Resentment.

HELD TO BE BAD TASTE ARMY OF 300 FLEEING MACHINES IN THEIR PLACES

"Not the Time Nor Place to Meddle United States Recognizes Right of Tabulating Devices to Do the Work

With His Hosts' Affairs."

Newspapers, Outside the Questions Demand Probably Will Be Made for Those Longest in the Service Hardof Fact Set Forth, Challenge

Propriety of His Remarks.

LONDON, June 1 .- Mr. Roosevelt's speech at Guildhall yesterday continued today to be the sensation of ductions with equal seriousn-

But outside the questions forth the newspapers almoexception challenge the pra foreign guest of the city the colonial policy of the empire.

Of the comments of the conservative press the following are samples: "It was not the time nor the place, nor was the ex-President the person, to display this particular form of interest in the business

judgment of the British people.

particular political subjects seemed a tion in reading the speech carefully there is right of the Estrada faction to collect social crime not far from sacrilege, but Of the liberal papers, the Westminster Gazette questions the necessity and disagrees with the conclusions of the speech.

Star says that "Mr. Roosevelt of portions of the country, proclamations of the country proclamations of portions of the country proclamations of the country proc found nothing of which to complain." Mr. Roosevelt passed today quietly. He the United States and its citizens. visited the National Gallery during the forenoon and had luncheon with several men prominent in the Irish-nationalist party. The former President will be a

#### Frederick C. Selous, Points Out British Errors.

quest over night at the country home of

In his speech yesterday Mr. Roosevelt decided that, while England had given nation of Premier Boutros, had shown that in certain vital points the British. government had erred, and that England must repair this error if she wished to Mr. Roosevelt called attention to the fact that England's primary object in taking hold in Egypt was the establish-

have not the right, and have not the deget out. But if, as I hope, you feel that your duty to dvillzed mankind and your fealty to your own great traditions alike the name agree, and show that you are however, decline to state what course will ready to meet in very deed the responsi-

"When a people treats assassination as the corner stone of self-government, it forfeits all rights to be treated as worthy the duty is theirs."

### Denounces Nationalist Party.

Mr. Roosevelt dwelt upon the baleful

speaker said. "in the interests of the Egyptians themselves. Those who have

Panama canal. Although it did not nav to a big nation unless that nation was gime, which now is in control of over 90 belief that Congress will do something the statement that he spoke as an un- plications are likely to arise at any prejudiced outsider, as an American and advice only in accordance with the prinin dealing with the Philippines, and he cause serious trouble. declared that the present condition of alfairs in Egypt was a menace to the Brit-

#### FAVORABLE REPORT ORDERED. Providing for Participation in Wa- customs duties by American shippers.

ish empire and to civilization

terways Commission. The Senate committee on foreign relations today ordered a favorable report ragua and fully capable of meeting all sufficient honor to consider the clerks as against Charles O'Malley. on a bill defining the duties of the three its obligations American members of the international joint commission to be appointed under the waterways treaty between the United and Great Britain.

A favorable report was ordered also on an amendment to the sundry civil bill to appropriate \$75,000 to defray America's part of the commission's expenses.

## Carpenter's Nomination Favored.

The nomination of Fred W. Carpenter, secretary to the President, to be United States minister at Morocco, was ordered favorably reported to the Senate today by the committee on foreign re-

### Ocean Steamship Movements.

NEW YORK, June 1 .- Steamer Lusitania, Liverpool for New York, reported 1.165 miles east of Sandy Hook at 1 a.m. Dock about 7:30 a.m. Friday. miles east of Sandy Hook at 6 a.m. Dock to west.

Roosevelt's Guildhall Speech Madriz Forces at Bluefields Seventy-Three Dismissals at Defeated in Battle.

Estrada to Collect Customs.

Return of American Vessels

That Were Seized.

A dispatch was received here this afternoon from Commander Gilmer, Department virtually received their dis saying that Gen. Lara's army, number- missal from the government service at the ing about three hundred men, has been the newspapers throughout the coun- defeated in a fight near Bluefields and try. The editorial comment upon is now in full retreat. Lara is the startling utterances concerning general in command of the Madriz British rule in Egypt were influenced, forces near Bluefields. The dispatch July will find them, or some of them, a as a rule, by partisanship. The con- contains no details and the extent of least, not only without government posiservative press defends the conclusions the victory of the Estradists is not tions, but beyond the reach of any retiredrawn by the American statesman, known. If his forces have recaptured ment bill that Congress may pass after while the liberal papers oppose his de- the custom house bluff it means the that time. Nearly all of these employes end of Madriz's campaign against Blue- have others dependent upon them, and

> Secretary Knox has sustained the right of of the provisional government of Estrada sing to absolute control over the affairs of Bluefields, Nicaragua, including the col- Post Office Department, which is a bulection of customs and other dues. The attitude of this government in the quarrel between the Madriz and the Estrada factions on that point is indicated in instructions cabled to Commander Gilmer. the Treasurer of the United States, and a commanding the United States forces at few scattered through other bureaus.

Bluenelos, as follows:
"The attitude of the United States re-The Pail Mall Gazette: "The unconven- tary of State's letter to Rodriguez on De- in the bureau of engraving and printing t onal is justified only by success. If he cember 1, 1909, which continues entirely where they were formerly employed. prefers realities to the proprieties where applicable to the present situation. The It is also proposed to-select from the vital interests are concerned so does the capture by the Madriz faction of the for- remaining employes such as may be needmer customs house at the bluff does not ed to fill vacancies that are likely to ocaffect the fact that Bluefields, with cercur before July 1. But the great man adjacent territory, for which goods passing that customs house are intended. The Standard: "That he should lay appears to remain as heretofore, under hands on one of the nation's private and the de facto control of the Estrada fac-

> "This government therefore admits the customs for Bluefields, and denies this

Seizure of Vessels. the American-owned sloop Adelaide has been seized by the Madriz faction, and fuerzo was stopped and its American- that it was not contemplated that there done. owned cargo seized by those in control at would be any more dismissals in the told to wait! Three years ago Congress Egypt the best government in 2.000 years, of either faction to seize American-owned yel recent events, following the assassi- vessels or property without consent of and recompense to the owners. In such cases you will instantly act in accordence with this policy. You will immediately notify both fac-

tions and the shipping interests of the oregoing. The announcement that this government denies the right of the Madriz faction to seize the sloop Adelaide and the schooner Esfuerzo, as was done some days ago by the Venus, indicates that a demand will have not the right to remain in Egypt be made for their return, together with and establish and keep order. If you their cargoes, to their American owners. Should that demand not be complied with sire to keep order, then, by all means, Commander Gilmer is directed to take such steps as may be necessary to secure the return of the ships and the punishment of the party responsible for their bid you to stay, then make the fact and seizure. The State Department officials,

#### be taken should this exigency arise. Situation Is Complicated.

of self-government. Some nation must by representations that although the govern Egypt, and I hope and believe Adelaide and Espuerzo are American that the English nation will decide that owned and were flying the United States flag when seized, they are both registered are always withheld. Chiefs of division as Nicaraguan vessels. The Adelaide is who are called upon to surrender some of apparently still in the possession of the their clerks invariably, it is said, selec Madriz party, as is also part of the cargo the old employes, and upon them will fall influence of the nationalist party in of the Espuerzo. The demand for their in every 'batch of dismissals" the axe Egypt, which, he said, had shown in con- return may easily lead to open hostilities with the deadliest effect. between the United States forces and the Madriz forces. Under his instructions ganized movement are pushing their peti-Commander Gilmer will undoubtedly re- tions for signatures in the hape, it is of guaranteeing justice. Nor had Eng- sort to force, if necessary, to secure the said, of having the heads of their rereturn of the seized ships and cargoes. spective departments indorse and trans-

by the United States government will to do with uncivilized peoples, especially practically destroy all of Madriz's said, is the only plan likely to receive chances for the capture of Bluefields. | consideration from Congress, comes from such a situation as that which faces you His army is not allowed to enter Bluein Egypt weakness, timidity and senti- fields, bombardment is prohibited and from those who feel their tenure of ofmentality may cause infinitely more harm a successful siege is considered im- fice secure for some time longer at least. than violence and injustice. Sentimental- practicable while the harbor is open Yet many of these, it is declared, are for the entry of reinforcements, munitions of war and supplies for the Es-With reference to the Sudar, Mr. trada party in possession of the city

### Trouble Seems Likely.

way. It was not worth while to belong ments have recognized the Madriz re- the matter who confidently express the per cent of Nicaraguan territory, comreal democrat, whose first duty was to by Commander Gilmer. If a ship regiswar against violence, injustice and wrong- tered in a foreign country chooses to doing wherever found. He proffered his pay customs to the Madriz faction and refuses to recognize the authority of the cipies on which he had acted as President Estrada faction it will almost inevitably

> United States will assume to dictate as to whom other governments shall pay customs duties at Bluefields. That is be- As many times no! as there are clerks in was little change of positions until the lieved to be a matter over which the the government departments to re-echo horses were close home, with Lemberg inited States assumes no control, its ac- the negative. tion having reference to the payment of As a descendant of one of the signers lead to the finish. Two lengths separated the Senate chamber on official business Neither faction is likely to be formally recognized by the United States until it maintain that it should not be permitted. Gow was close up in the first flight. has demonstrated the fact that it is in Congress ought to be compelled to refull control of the entire state of Nica- main in session until it has accumulated 160 to 8 against Greenback, and 33 to 1

### 25 WORKMEN KILLED.

## Slide, Utah.

workmen were killed in an explosion how many of its members would meastoday in a quarry of the Union Port- and se crowned with the laurel of their drowned and the remainder (nine men) land Cement Works, at Devil's Slide, approval. Utah, thirty miles east of Ogden.

Lunches With the President. James T. Williams, jr., editor of the rate of pay, it has been increased 260 per Tucson, Ariz., Times, was a guest of cent, as today the congressional salary President Taft at luncheon this after- is practically \$9,000 a year (two and a

### Earthquake Recorded Here.

The selsmograph at Georgetown University recorded an earthquake shock SIASCONSET, June 1 .- Steamer Presi- early this morning. The record began at dent Grant, Hamburg for New York, re- 3:50 o'clock and ended at 4:24. The treported by wireless telegraph when 193 mors registered as vibrating from east

Treasury Department.

of Old Employes.

REGARDED AS SOCIAL CRIME ORDERS TO CAPT. GILMER AX FALLS ON THE VETERANS

est Hit by the Government's Policy.

Seventy-three employes of the Treasury close of their duties yesterday. It camin the form of a leave of absence, wit pay dating from today. The first day some have families that are likely to

suffer, it is said. employes of the auditor's office in the reau of the Treasury Department. Some

mains precisely as set forth in the Secre- from twelve to fifteen of these employes jority will be absolutely adrift Such was the information given out at the department today. It was also said that the number of dismissals would have been much larger had it not been for the policy of the department in not

### filling vacancies in the past.

auditor's office were due to the installa- at and insulted annually by Congress, tion of additional adding machines, as for redress. noted in The Star some months ago, when These many years since he has been he would be able to take care of all the He has been put off session after session employes displaced by the machines. office at the Treasury Department today eighty years of age?" nothing has been department for the present, the remark again increased its own salary, adding 50 SENATORS PUT ON RECORD was made that the seventy-three emper cent to it's already exorbitant compleyes, which at another time was said pensation (as compared with the highest to be eighty-five, were simply "the first pay of any other legislative body) batch," leaving the impression that there promptly refused 20 per cent for the cierks had been at least a second batch, or which one himanitarian member sugthat more dismissals were to follow. information of this kind are always re- ly by Congress for itself; announced that luctant to tell what they know. While it was absolutely necessary to economize, they will answer specific questions, they and there was no time for anything seldom volunteer any information, it is further; adjourned, and went home. said, so that the real situation may be | Should Congress again do this thing a more or less clouded with data that is prayer once offered many years ago is

out process is going on in the other de- England, father of all "the Beechers" partments, as well as in the Treasury. and as renowned for his many eccentric-The Postmaster General's inquiry of bu- tiles as for the strength of his ecclesireau heads for specific information as astical character, found himself in diffito the number, quality and salaries of culties over the prayer it was customary his clerks is believed to foreshadow a to offer for Congress. "That we might considerable reduction there to carry out honor and respect our rulers' did not an-

### Old Clerks Go First.

In every batch of dismissals are included that they may not act so we can't help a greater or less number of faithful old it"! employes who have "lost their grip" and Their names as well as their number

The clerks through their recently or-

That would mean the end of the Madriz | mit them to the President for transmission to Congress with a special message. The chief difficulty of getting support ers of the contributory plan, which, it is the younger clerks in the service and sinking their preferences and opinions in the matter for the sake of the distressing cases that are being brought daily to their notice. There is a better esprit du In view of the fact that many govern-known, and there are many interested in

#### before it adjourns for the session. CONGRESS AND THE CLERKS. An Appeal for Action During the yards from the post.

Present Session. Is it possible that Congress will ad- Greenback settled down in the lead with amendment. It is not believed, however, that the journ again and leave the clerks to their the two favorites. Lemberg and Neil Gow, by a vote of 28 to 30. bitter woes? No! A thousand times no! second and fourth, respectively. There

of the Declaration of Independence, I Greenback and Charles O'Malley. Neil just prior to the vote on the La Follette well as itself. Those grand old men who framed this government never intended to offer a larger salary to any man than he could earn elsewhere-simply to defray all necessary expenses during their Explosion in Quarry at Devils service as legislators, after which they would return to their respective vocations or avocations as me case might be, and I am wondering, if those sages could ap-OGDEN. Utah, June 1.—Twenty-five pear as judges of our mo ern Congress,

> The Congress of these United States is the only legislative body in the world receiving annual compensation, and, not die from injuries received. satisfied with \$2,500 per annum, which was the frst change from the per diem half months constituting one year and possibly six and a half months the other when a scaffold collapsed at the plant

#### More Hours, Less Pay. Having accomplished so much for it-

self, how can Congress continue to refuse the government clerk everything?

the only power to which he can appea and, while a representative may inquire While it was said in the chief clerk's "How many in the department are over "The government mendicant" is gested on the basis of the "high-cest-of-Those who are charged with giving out living" argument, employed so successful-It is reported that a similar weeding sion. Old Dr. Lyman Beecher of New the general policy of reducing expenses. swer the immediate requirement, and was finally resolved into, "We pray, O Lord, that we may not despise our rulers," and

B. M. HART.

CAPTURES ENGLISH CLASSIC RACE BY A NECK.

Greenback Second, Charles O'Malley Third and Lord Rosebery's Neil Gow Fourth-Fifteen Starters.

EPSOM DOWNS, England, June 1 .- The the classic of the English turf, was won and La Follette. The democrats who voted CONFERENCE REPORT ON RIVcorps, it is said, among the clerks gen- today by Mr. Fair's Lemberg. Sir John for it were Messrs. Bacon, Bailey, Clay, erally since the real situation has become | Thurtsby's Greenback was second and A. | Fletcher, Frazier, Gore, Newlands, Over-P. Cunliffe's Charles O'Malley, third. Lord man, Owen, Paynter, Purcell, Rayner, Rosebery's Neil Gow finished fourth. Fif-

From the start the race was between and Bankhead, Hughes, McEnery and the four horses named, Lemberg winning Smith (Md.), democrats. Neil Gow behaved badl; at the post, de- ical valuation of the property involved in laying the start for ten minutes, but the cases before the interstate commerce field finally got away in good shape. commission. He spoke in support of the

passed Greenback and maintained a bare Beverldge that he had been called from The betting was 7 to 4 against Lemberg. The time was 2.35 1-5, which is a rec-

Bark Wrecked; Two Drowned. PORT BICKERTON, N. S. June 1.from Frederickstadt for Port Jeddore, N. the Simmons amendment. S., was wrecked on Caster ledges, off ure up to the standard of their greatness here, today. Two of the crew were were rescued in an exhaus.ed condition.

ord for the derby.

#### Killed by Falling Scaffold. PITTSBURG, June 1 .- One workman

was killed and seven were injured today The men fell forty feet.

Premier Zahle to Stay.

Bailroad Bill Beaten.

Roll Call and Pairs.

the only suitable invocation for the occa- Ten Republicans Cast Lot With Democrats in Favor of Amendment.

> administration railroad bill, to provide for the ascertainment of the physical valuation of the property of railroads engaged the Senate today by a vote of twenty-five to thirty. It was expected that the disposition of this amendment would per-

By inference the Wisconsin senator gave notice that he would undertake to Elerweiss, a resident of this city. It is may come this way and chase the pre-have members held to account for their thought that he is not responsible for his vailing cold off the Atlantic coast. votes on this provision. This was con- act. tained in a demand for the publication, at the review, as the abscess on the not vote and were not paired.

### Cast by Republicans.

were cast by republicans. Of the twentyfive affirmative votes, fifteen were cast by democrats and ten by republicans. The republicans who voted for the amend-

by Senator Simmons, requiring such phys-

### Senator Beveridge Explains.

taken on the La Follette amendment, vot-I for the Simmons provision. Senator Nelson, who voted against the La Follette

provision, voted for the Simmons amend-

Senator Bailey today presented to the Senate a proposed amendment to the bill designed to make effective the "commodities clause" provision of the ference. For the improvement of the Hepburn rate law. The amendment Guyandet river West Virginia the Two of the rescued men will probably would correct, he believes, the defect in the "commodities clause" amendment which was pointed out by the Senate, and the Lake Contrary, railroad for a period of eighteen Supreme Court of the United States Missouri, project will receive only half months, with an amendment by Repre-

### ABLE TO BE OUT AGAIN.

## Attack of Tonsilitis.

COPENHAGEN, Junel .- In consequence Philander C. Knox, jr., has practically and the grand total of appropriations and ing Company, so as to increase the rate that corporation presented its case and

#### week with throat trouble we feared that she had an attack of diphtheria, but a culture showed that she was suffering from tonsilitis, and she has now praclically recovered. She went out today."

CAN OF THEM THROWN AT GERMAN CROWN PRINCE.

Commotion Among Royal Party Returning From Military.

BERLIN. June 1 .- There was a commotion among the royal party returning from the annual joint review of the Berlin and Potsdam garrisons, at Tempelhof

Feld today, when a man who had followed at a distance hurled a missile at Crown Prince Frederick William. The object missed its mark and fell harmlessly at the feet of a policeman. Upon investigation it was found to be an

ment it was believed that a bomb had The police seized the assailant. proved to be a Russian named Abraham some of the extreme heat in the west

was filled with uncooked beans.

not only of the official roll call, but the kaiser's wrist is still bothering him. pairs and the names of senators who did Among the Americans present were Hermann Ridder and Mrs. Aidder of New York, Harold McCormick of Chicago, H. C. Emery of the tariff board and the German-American veterans who are visiting

ERS AND HARBORS BILL.

kett, Beveridge and Bourne, republicans, Senate Appropriation for Improving the Anacostia Is Reduced From \$250,000 to \$230,000.

> Reductions of only \$490,000 from the and harbors bill submitted to the Sen-A reduction of \$20,000 in the amount | prostrations and one death. -\$250,000-allowed by the Senate for the improvement of the Aacostia river by the conferees. This was made because the army engineers estimated that only \$230,000 could be spent in The appropriation for the Sabine-

Niches canal, Texas, was entirely stricken from the bill, making a further reduction of \$200,000. The \$250,000 appropriation ment, and Senator Jones, who voted for for the Green river dam in Kentucky The Norwegian bark Borghild, bound the La Follette amendment, voted against was treated likewise by the conferees. The \$20,000 allowed by the Senate for the improvement of Arcadia harbor, in Michigan, was also knocked out in con-Guyandot river, West Virginia, the conferees allowed \$5,000 less than provided

The conferees allowed three increases over the amounts allowed by the Senate year of a Congress), over 500 per cent of the forged steel metal company, unmore than any other legislative body in der construction at Lyndora, near here. Mrs. P. C. Knox, Jr., Recovers From increase of \$15,000 for Port Washington, sion fund, etc., with an amendment pro-There were no changes made in the con-

## NEATHER IS FREAKY LEE BROWNE LOSES

Freezing in East.

Snow Falls in Maryland; Heat Contention That Matter Is One for Deaths in Nevada.

ALL BLAMED ON THE COMET CONSTITUTION IS

Fiery Visitor Is Credited for Queer U. S. Senate Will Not Enter Hastily Conditions, Whether It Deserves It or Not.

Snowfalls at Pittsburg and Somerset, Browne, leader of the democratio

the excessive torridity; folks on the other side of the continent shivering in the fendant, entered an exception to the frigidity and wearing the winter-summer ruling. He sought a postponement of combination of straw hats and overcoats. Remarkable weather, indeed.

The mercury in the weather bureau hermometers "skidded" downward last night and gave this District a fall of sixteen degrees. The maximum temper- Browne be arraigned at once. Mr. Forature, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, rest interposed sharply: was 62. The minimum, at 6 o'clock this morning, was 46, which was but 3 degrees higher than the lowest temperature recorded in June for the past forty years. Prof. Bowie, the official forecaster, said today that the previous lowest June temperature was 43 degrees, June 2, 1897.

#### Blast From Lake Regions. The prevailing cold wave, Forecaster

egion north of the great lakes where heavy snow storms prevailed Monday. The coldness is general in the middle The heat wave continues in the far

ceived by Chief Willis L. Moore of the weather bureau today. In the interior of California all previous heat records have the Constitution, saying been broken. Some of the high temperatures yesterday were 110 in the shade at Fresno, Cal., 100 at Sacramento and 104 at Red Bluff, Cal.

There have been scattered showers he past twenty-four hours in the Atlantic states north of Virginia, with thunderstorms along the gulf coast. Partly loudy weather is predicted for the Diswith continued low temperatures, but not lower than the minimum of 46 recorded

The entry of June, "the month of roses and balm." was cold and cheerless, and time did not permit fuller investigation many men and women wore their over- and ampler argument to justify that imcoats and winter wraps this morning while proceeding to their places of business. When the rain began to patter down last night weatherwise old men predicted that t would turn into snow before the break day this morning. Fires were relighted in furnaces, latrobes and fireplaces, and extra coverings were placed upon beds.

A Cheerless June 1. The first morning of June was much like an early morning in December, and were termed "cold storage plants" by crawled into their holes and pulled the thereof, for six years.' apertures in after them to shut out the cold. There was a chilliness in the very flowers took on a wilted appearance.

unusual weather conditions was placed The legislature shall elect, etc. This on Halley's comet, which is rapidly alone would seem sufficiently clear to preservation of fruit and vegetables, and shooting away from the earth. Almost every man who believed that the comet The party was about to enter the palace has disturbed the meteorology of the when the incident occurred. For a mo- earth had a different theory about the matter. But all agreed that it was due pressed by the sage of the Eastern branch, a venerable riverman, that

#### SNOW FALLS IN PITTSBURG. While Heat Kills and Prostrates in San Francisco.

PITTSBURG, June 1 .- Yesterday was they are no more officers or agents of the coldest May 31 in the annals of the the United States than are presidential local office of the weather bureau. A electors when acting as electors of the temperature of 39 degrees was record. President and Vice President, or the peoed here at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Snow fell between 4 and 5 o'clock in of representatives in Congress." SOMERSET. Pa., June 1. Snow fell on the mountains near Somerset and

#### Ligonier last night. SNOW IN MARYLAND.

Wintry Weather Causes Damage to the Crops. OAKLAND, Md., June 1.-Snow fell

here yesterday, with the temperature near the freezing point. Reports from various parts of the coun- gamon county (Springfield) courts. On ty are to the effect that serious damage RENO. Nev., June 1.-Prof. H. O. Howe, instructor in the University of total appropriations of \$41,819,113.50 al- Nevada and head of the University High phases of this or any other similar translowed by the Senate are recommended School, died yesterday of heat prostration I express no opinion. I am certain in the conference report on the rivers tion. He was born seventy-five years that what is here before the SAN FRANCISCO, June 1 .- Torrid Explanations were made by Senator ate yesterday just before adjournment. weather in this locality has caused four

HOUSE COMMITTEE ACTS ON LOCAL MEASURES.

At the regular weekly meeting of

the House District committee today

favorable action was taken on the following measures: H. R. 26291, introduced by Reprethe time for the construction of the East Washington Heights Traction in a decision which suspended its op-eration. of the \$150,000 appropriation provided by the Senate. transfers between this road and all others with which it may connect. H. R. 22322, introduced by Representaan increase o \$45,0,0 for the improve- tive Smith of Michigan, providing for the the full benefits of the act. Senate 5651, amending the act to in-

### Roasting in the Far West and His Trial on Lorimer Bribery Charge Begins June 6.

COLDEST JUNE IN YEARS DEFENSE IS OVERRULED

Federal Courts Denied.

Upon Official Investigation

CHICAGO, Ill., June 1 .- Lee O'Nell Pa., and in Garrett county, Md., with minority in the lower house at Springtemperatures below the freezing point. | field, must stand trial on the charge of One death from heat stroke at Reno, bribing State Representative Charles A. Nev., and one death and four prostra- White to vote for William Lorimer for tions from the same cause at San Fran- United States senator. This was assured today when Judge McSurely over-People on one side of the American ruled the motion of the defense to continent sweltering and going down from quash the indictment against Browne. Attorney W. S. Forrest, for the detwo weeks in placing Browne on trial, but again was overruled, the court setting June 6 as the date for beginning the trial.

While this argument was on State's Attorney Wayman demanded that "Mr. Browne pleads not guilty."

### Sustains County Courts.

Judge McSurely's opinion denied the contention of the defense that the case is one for the federal courts, and likewise sustained the jurisdiction of the Cook county courts. It also was contended by the defense that the promise to pay for a vote (alleged to have been made at Bowie explained, came over from the Springfield) and not the payment of the ley (alleged to have occurre caso) constitutes the crime of bribery. The argument of the defense was that bribery of legislators voting to elect a Atlantic states, the upper Ohio valley United States senator is not an offense and lake regions with near-record-bread- against the state, but against the federal government, and that the federal west as shown by telegraphic reports re- Surely said he believed it to be a plea law provides no punishment. Judge Mcanique in the history of courts. In disposing of this question the judge cited

"The importance of this claim is recognized at once, and, so far as I am aware, it has never heretofore been made in any court. A claim so contrary to the general impression of what the law is in this regard, and so sweeping in its consequences, should not only receive most careful attention, but I believe should not receive assent, unless compelled trict of Columbia today and tomorrow thereto by convincing reasoning and au-

"I make no apology for admitting that my conclusion on this point is largely one of first impression. I do regret that pression

### Refers to Constitution.

"The claim is advanced that when members of both houses meet in joint assembly to vote for a senator of the United States Congress they cease to become a state legislature and become a wholly different body. It is, therefore important to inquire into who or what elects the senator of the Congress of the United States. The Constitution says

(Article 1): "The Senate of the United States shall be composed of two senators from The pesky houseflies and other insects each state, chosen by the legislature "The federal statute entitled 'Congress, section 14 (election of senators), reads notes of the warbling birds and blooming 'The legislature shall proceed to elect a senator in Congress.' And again, more On every side today the blame for the than once, the statute contains the words permit of no further question. But it is

#### when voting to elect a senator cease to be state officers and are more properly federal officers."

said that the members of the legislature

Authorities Quoted. On this point Judge McSurely quoted the decision of Justice Gray, in Fitzgerald agt. Green, 134 U. S., 377.

"Paraphrasing the language of Justice

Gray," said Judge McSurely, "we may

'Although the legislature, when

electing a United States senator, is acting under and pursuant to the Constitution and statutes of the United States. ple of the state when acting as electors On the point raised by the defense attacking the jurisdiction of the Cook pay money for a vote constitutes bribery. and not the consummation of that promise by the actual paying of the money. the court declared that the payment money for a vote constitutes bribery. the case at bar, it is alleged that Lee O'Neil Browne promised to pay Representative White \$1,000 to vice for Wil liam Lorimer for senator, and that \$850 of this sum was subsequently given to White in Chicago. This rule is without prejudice to the jurisdiction of the Santhis point Judge McBurely said: "Nothing herein said is intended to be

understood as denying the Sangamon

county court's jurisdiction over certain

indictment is properly within the jurisdic-

#### tion of the criminal court of Cook coun-Senate Going Slowly.

The Senate will not enter hastily upon an official investigation of the bribery harges against Senater Lorimer of Illinois. The committee on previleges and elections, which will decide whether there shall be an inquiry at all, has no formal charges before it at this time, and the members are inclined to wait until somehing definite is filed in Washington. Senator Lorimer's resolution, which was presented by him at the close of his speech in the Senate last Saturday, was today reported favorably from the committee on contingent expenses. The resolution then was referred to the privileges and elections committee, of which Senator Burrows is chairmar. This consentative Smith of Michigan, to extend stitutes all that the committee has before it, and since the accused senator has asked only for an inquiry into the newspaper charges against him the members of the committee are inclined to wait for something more definite.

### To Wait for Courts.

It is said that if any of the grand jury records in the cases of members of the Illinois legislature were filed with the Senate and referred to Senator Burrows' Wis., and an increase of \$20,000 for the viding that members of either force must committee they would be regarded as expenses of the international navigation be sixty years of age in order to receive sufficient to compel action immediately. The committee would be disposed to act, it is said, even upon the filing of the PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 1.-Mrs. ference in the amounts of authorizations, corporate the Washington Sanitary Hous- charge made by the Chicago Tribune, if stood behind the charges. What the com-



## THE MONTH OF MATRIMONY.

The consul at Bluefields reports that Auditor Chance expressed the belief that begging for some provision in his old age. La Follette Amendment to the

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VOTE TWENTY-FIVE TO THIRTY

Simmons' Amendment Defeated. Senator La Follette's amendment to the

mit a final vote on the bill before ad-

The thirty votes against the provision the fatherland.

Messrs. Borah, Bristow, Brown, Clapp, Crawford, Dixon, Dolliver, Gamble, Jones Simmons, Stone and Taylor. Those absent and not paired were Bur-The defeat of the La Follette provision was followed by the presentation of one

## The Simmons amendment was defeated

amendment and by Senator Brown that was one of the six decreases adopted he had endeavored to get a pair for his colleague, Senator Burkett, but had been unable to do so. Senators Beveridge, Bourne and Hughes, one year to the best advantage. who were not present when the vote was

## Special Dispatch to The Star.

of the difficulty of forming a new cabinet recovered from an attack of tonsilitis, authorizations provided by the conference of percentage from 4 to 5.

Senate 6639, for the relief of Marga
stood behind the charges. What the committee would prefer to do would be to about 7:30 a.m. Thursday.

Steamer Teutonic, Southampton for New York, reported 313 miles east of Sandy Hook at 7 a.m. Dock about 7:30 a.m. Thursday.

Thursday.

It is estimated that the disturbance was improvement in his condition. On the continuance of the national water-was in the record was so has progressed in shorter hours of labor and better pay, he has had one hour and bill by the conferees.

Thursday.

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# BEANS IN DEADLY BOMB